

National Recreation and Preservation/Statutory or Contractual Aid for Other Activities

JUSTIFICATION OF PROGRAM AND PERFORMANCE

Activity: Statutory or Contractual Aid for Other Activities
Subactivity: Roosevelt Campobello International Park Commission

Program Component	1999 Estimate	Uncontr/ Related Changes	Program Changes (+/-)	2000 Budget Request	Change From 1999 (+/-)
Roosevelt Campobello International Park Commission	670	0	0	670	0
Total Requirements \$(000)	670	0	0	670	0

AUTHORIZATION

16 U.S.C. 1101-1103 and Public Law 88-363, the Roosevelt Campobello International Park Act, 1964.

OVERVIEW

To cooperate with the government of Canada in supporting the **Roosevelt Campobello International Park**.

APPLICABLE NATIONAL PARK SERVICE MISSION GOALS

- Ia Natural and cultural resources and associated values are protected, restored and maintained in good condition and managed within their broader ecosystem and cultural context.
- Ib The National Park Service contributes to knowledge about natural and cultural resources and associated values; management decisions about resources and visitors are based on adequate scholarly and scientific information.
- IIa Visitors safely enjoy and are satisfied with the availability, accessibility, diversity, and quality of park facilities, services, and appropriate recreational opportunities.
- IIb Park visitors and the general public understand and appreciate the preservation of parks and their resources for this and future generations.
- IIIa Natural and cultural resources are conserved through formal partnership programs.
- IIIb Through partnerships with other Federal, State, and local agencies and nonprofit organizations, a nationwide system of parks, open space, rivers, and trails provides educational, recreational, and conservation benefits for the American people.

***Roosevelt Campobello International Park Commission
FY 1999 Estimated Program and Anticipated Accomplishments***

Enacted: \$670,000

The Roosevelt Campobello International Park Commission was established on August 14, 1964, by the Governments of Canada and the United States to commemorate President Franklin D. Roosevelt, and to provide a symbol of the partnership between the two countries. During his youth and early adult years, Franklin D. Roosevelt spent many summers on Campobello Island in New Brunswick Province, Canada. It was here at the age of 39 that Roosevelt was stricken by poliomyelitis. After his death in 1945, Eleanor Roosevelt continued to use the home on Campobello Island as a vacation retreat. Funds provided to the Roosevelt Campobello International Park Commission support a full range of visitor services and operations including interpretation, routine maintenance, preservation of historic features and cultural resources, and protection of natural resources.

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Costs are shared equally by the United States and Canada. Federal support of the commission is proposed to remain unchanged in FY 2000.